18540. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. 2,200 Pounds \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 31645. Sample No. 24368-L.)

LIBEL FILED: August 29, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 12, 1951, by the Penobscot Poultry Co., from Belfast, Maine.

PRODUCT: 2,200 pounds of dressed poultry at New York, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of birds which were contaminated with fecal matter; and, Section 402 (a) (5), it was in whole or in part the product of a diseased animal.

DISPOSITION: October 10, 1951. Solomon Bros. Poultry Corp., New York, N. Y., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for the segregation and destruction of the unfit portion, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. As a result of salvaging operations, 1,672 pounds of eviscerated poultry were in compliance with the law.

18541. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U.S. v. 146 Pounds \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 32546. Sample No. 38335-L.)

LIBEL FILED: February 27, 1952, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 6, 1952, by the Acme Poultry Corp., from Berlin, Md.

PRODUCT: 146 pounds of dressed poultry in 2 crates at New York, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of birds contaminated with fecal matter; and, Section 402 (a) (5), it was in whole or in part the product of a diseased animal.

DISPOSITION: April 1, 1952. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

18542. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. 2 Crates \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 31980. Sample No. 25799-L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 2, 1951, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 23, 1951, by the Spencer Poultry Co., from Dayton, Va.

PRODUCT: 1 crate, containing 70 pounds, of dressed chickens and 1 crate, containing 58 pounds, of dressed turkeys at Philadelphia, Pa.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the articles consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of birds that were contaminated with fecal matter; and, Section 402 (a) (5), the articles were in whole or in part the product of diseased animals.

DISPOSITION: January 21, 1952. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that a sample of the product be delivered to the Federal Security Agency and that the remainder be destroyed.

18543. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. 5,000 Pounds \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 31652. Sample No. 24370-L.)

LIBEL FILED: September 11, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 13, 1951, by Rockland Poultry Co., Inc., from Rockland, Maine.